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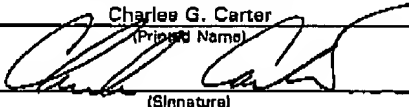
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## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Amendments

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

43. (Once Amended) The article of Claim 18 wherein the aluminum alloy is substantially free of pores having a largest dimension which exceeds 0.0001 inch.

44. (Once Amended) The article of Claim 43 wherein the aluminum alloy is substantially free of intergranular voids.

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(Once Amended) The article of Claim 44 wherein the aluminum alloy has a grain structure that is substantially uniform.

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